

Feedback Network

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Subject: Performance Measures Coordinating Committee Behavioral Health Workgroup

Dear Feedback Network Member,

The development of a Statewide Common Core Set of Measures is a core element of Healthier Washington and provides the foundation for accountability and measuring performance across all areas of Washington. The development of, and ongoing evolution and implementation of a core set of measures is not only mandated from ESHB 2572, but necessary to ensuring our ability to measure progress towards achieving healthier outcomes for all residents in Washington.

In December 2014 the Performance Measures Coordinating Committee (PMCC) approved a "starter" set of measures, with the intention of evolving the set over time. At the last PMCC meeting in June 2015 the committee agreed to begin the next evolution of the common set of measures by convening an ad hoc workgroup of members to take a deeper look at the topic of behavioral health and research and propose any additional measures for inclusion into the core set at the October PMCC meeting for consideration.

The first meeting of the Behavioral Health Measures Selection Workgroup will take place on Wednesday, September 2 from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm at the Washington Health Alliance at 600 Stewart Street, Seattle.

This meeting is open to the public in a listen only mode, with a brief period at the end to ask questions. Meeting materials will be posted one day prior on the Healthier Washington website as we transition to a new format.

To attend this meeting via phone/webinar, you must register in advance. Click here to register: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/7223956689524791810>.

It is best if you use a land line to call in to the meeting (not a cell phone). When you call in, you must input the audio pin provided to you when you register – this is the only way that we can unmute your line so that you can ask questions.

There will be additional opportunities to participate as well and those dates and times will be posted soon on the Healthier Washington website.

For additional information or if you have any questions please contact us at healthierwa@hca.wa.gov.

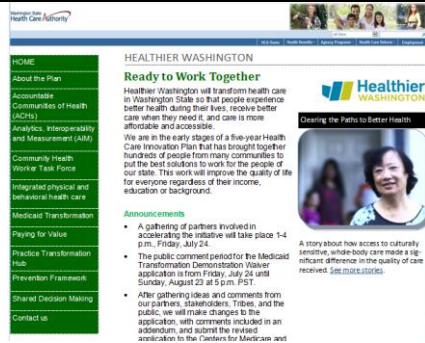
Thank you for your interest in a healthier Washington.

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Website changes coming soon!

Easier navigation, a video library and timely updates are some of the improvements we will unveil soon.